
LOS MEDANOS COLLEGE

Sustainability Meeting Minutes

Date: 1/21/26

Time: 3:30pm – 4:30pm

Location: L106 – Zoom <https://4cd.zoom.us/j/86588540382>

1. Welcome and Introductions

- Members present: Jarrod Holcombe, Sheri Woltz, Yollotl Lopez, Elizabeth Esparza
- Guests: Jennifer Garcia, Tiffany Morgan, Tracy Marcial, Ricardo Black
- Absent: Matthew Taylor, Zine Sandy

2. Reports

- Jarrod – Several projects working on control upgrades to better regulate energy. New meters to be installed to monitor energy per building rather than whole campus.
- Zine – No Custodial report.
- Sheri- Has been working w/Eloine Chapman to update sustainability webpage, archiving previous ones. Still need to have webpage box for current agenda and minutes.
- Tracy- Transportation survey that would be finalized Feb. 2 to be released early in spring semester. Tracy will also share the Climate in Curriculum Workshop information from the Chancellor's office.
- Liz- Still interested in Upcycle table in Brentwood Commons, Jarrod shared the bookstore repairs should not be problem. Also big shout out to the Grounds crew for making the Brentwood Center look nice, the residents from Trilogy appreciate it.
- Ricardo- Shared his caretaking objectives for the Nature Preserve
 - We have more student involvement
 - Would like to continue replacing landscape with native plants
 - Asked about having Fire Academy do controlled burns
 - Plans to have annual Earth Day event, details to come
- Yollotl- Shared the successful Mend Don't Spend event, about 10 people attended on Jan 15th, she enjoyed seeing repeat participants, especially while school was out on break. Yollotl also attended one of the conferences Tracy mentioned and found it informative.

3. Old Business

- Covered in the report outs.

4. New Business

- Earth Day – few months away but plans to continue with the annual event in the Nature Preserve.
- Jarrod and Ricardo plan to collaborate on landscaping transitions to native, drought tolerant plants.
- Revisit reclaimed water use.
- Prescribed burns could be a way to handle overgrown areas.
 - Sheri to reach out to Fire Academy for input.
- Tracy will be sending out poll for District Sustainability Committee's next meeting availability.
- Liz partnering with DSPS and Sustainability for future student events.
- Next meeting Wednesday February 18, 2026.

5. Public Comment

None

6. Adjournment-

4:15pm